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INSPECTION TOOL WITH A 3D POINT SENSOR TO DEVELOP A

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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed May 11, 2006 and is filed in support of the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith. Please consider the following remarks relating to the above-identified patent application: